

**Middletown Commission on the Arts  
Grants Panel Category I**

100 Riverview Center – Suite 140

February 13, 2012

MCA Commissioners Present:

Lea Tomaszewski

Charlotte McCoid (Left 7:45)

Joyce Kirkpatrick

Jenny Hawkins Lecce (secretary)

Lee Godburn (chair)

Richard Kamins

Cassandra Day (vice-chair)

Franca Biales

Barbara Arafeh

David Davis (Arrived 7:30)

Also present: City Arts Coordinator Stephan Allison

Called to order at 6:05 p.m.

General Operating Support Grant

Oddfellows Playhouse, 128 Washington Street, Middletown. Matt Pugliese, executive director of Oddfellows Playhouse met with the panel for the Oddfellows grant request. Presentation and discussion ensued.

The Greater Middletown Chorale, P.O. Box 527, Middletown. Joseph D'Eugenio and Dr. Richard Pugliese met with the panel regarding the GMC grant request. Presentation and discussion ensued.

North End Arts Rising, Inc., 605 Main Street, Middletown. Anne-Marie Cannata, executive director of Buttonwood Tree/NEAR met with the panel regarding the NEAR,inc. grant request. Presentation and discussion ensued.

ArtFarm, 119 Highland Avenue, Middletown. Dic Wheeler, executive director of ArtFarm met with the panel regarding the ArtFarm grant request. Presentation and discussion ensued.

Middletown Public School Cultural Council, 311 Hunting Hill, Middletown. Marco Gaylord, Santo Fragilio, Elizabeth Nocera met with the panel regarding the MPSCC grant request. Presentation and discussion ensued.

Arts Project Support Grant

Middletown Public School Cultural Council/MHS Goes to the Symphony, 311 Hunting Hill, Middletown. Marco Gaylord, Santo Fragilio, Elizabeth Nocera met with the panel regarding the MPSCC grant request. Presentation and discussion ensued.

Adjourned 8:55

